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In re application of: **Frazier et al.**

Serial No.: 09/692,346

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For: **Method and Apparatus for  
Reliably Choosing a Master Network  
Manager During Initialization of a  
Network Computing System**

§ Group Art Unit: 2152

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§ Examiner: UNKNOWN

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ENCLOSED HEREWITH:

- Letter to the Official Draftsman;
- 5 pages of drawings; and
- Our return postcard.

No additional fees are believed to be necessary. If, however, any additional fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0392.

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## LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

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Submitted herewith are formal drawings (5 sheets) for the above-identified application.

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